GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Setting up of New IIT
Bhatt Smt.Ranjanben

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to set up a number of new Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) in various parts of the country;
(b) if so, whether the Government is also considering to set up IITs in Gujarat;
(c) if so, the details thereof State/ location-wise; and
(d) the time by which these are likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)

(a) to (d): No, Madam. The Government has already approved establishment of six new Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) in Tirupati (Andhra Pradesh), Palakkad (Kerala), Jammu (J&K), Bhilai (Chhattisgarh), Goa (Goa) and Dharwar (Karnataka). In the State of Gujarat, IIT Gandhinagar is already functioning and presently, the Government has no proposal to establish an additional IIT in Gujarat.
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